



Announcement of Department of Highways
Subject: Policy of not accepting neither gifts nor profits from performing duties
(No Gift Policy)
Fiscal year 2026

The Department of Highways is a government agency with the core missions including highway infrastructure development, construction, and maintenance of highways to ensure a comprehensive network that spans seamlessly across the entire country and connects with neighbouring nations. This strives to provide the public with convenience, speed, and safety in travel. The Department of Highways's action plan emphasises on developing and managing a convenient, well-connected, accessible, and safe highway network in accordance with environmentally friendly and inclusive highway hierarchy standards. Under its operational and administrative policies, the Department aims to enhance road safety and elevate highway quality to international levels through technology and innovation for the public and national benefit. With a firm resolution to combat corruption and all forms of conflict of interest, in alignment with the National Reform Plan on Prevention and Suppression of Corruption and Misconduct (Revised Edition), particularly Reform Activity No. 4, which focuses on the development of a transparent public administration system free from vested interests. The initiative emphasises on addressing corruption and misconduct within the civil service through strengthening ethical values and maintaining uniform disciplinary standards.

Thus, to foster an organisational culture and core values grounded in integrity, fairness, and lawful conduct in accordance with relevant laws and regulations, we hereby declare our collective intent that “all executives and officials of the Department of Highways shall not accept gifts or presents of any kind in connection with the performance of their duties, whether prior to, ongoing or subsequent to such duties, as this could lead to corruption and misconduct both in the present and in the future (No Gift Policy)”. Additionally, we affirm our commitment to the principles of good governance and to conducting ourselves in accordance with ethical standards. Executives and supervisors at all levels shall act as good role models and serve as a standard for officials under the Department of Highways to strictly adhere to. This shall serve as a foundation for building a transparent public administration system free from corruption, for the utmost benefit of the nation and the people.

Therefore, to acknowledge and comply entirely

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